

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Atty. Docket No: SALK3140-1

In re patent application of

DOWNES, MICHAEL R. et al.

Serial No. 10/535,042

Filed: May 13, 2005

For: STRUCTURE OF THE FARNESOID X RECEPTOR LIGAND BINDING DOMAIN AND
METHODS OF USE THEREFOR

STATEMENT TO SUPPORT FILING AND SUBMISSION IN
ACCORDANCE WITH 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450
Mail Stop SEQUENCE

Sir:


In connection with a Sequence Listing submitted concurrently
herewith, the undersigned hereby states that:

1. the submission, filed herewith in accordance with 37
C.F.R. § 1.821(g), does not include new matter;

2. the content of the attached paper copy and the
attached computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing, submitted in
accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(c) and (e), respectively, are the same.

Respectfully submitted,

Dec. 21, 2005
Date



James A. Coburn

HARBOR CONSULTING IP SERVICES, INC.
1500A Lafayette Road, #262
Portsmouth, N.H. 03801
800-318-3021